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**REMARKS** 

Please reconsider the application in view of the above amendments and the following

remarks.

The Information Disclosure Statement

Applicants note with appreciation the Examiner's careful consideration of the reference

cited in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted on December 29, 2005.

**Status of Claims** 

Applicants note with appreciation the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter

in claims 13, 16-22, 25 and 28-32. Claims 1-10 were cancelled in the preliminary amendment

filed on December 29, 2005. Claims 11, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 23 have been amended. Specifically,

the independent claims 11 and 23 have been amended to recite all of the allowed features of

allowed claim 16. As a result, claim 16 has been cancelled. Applicants submit that no new matter

has been added to the application by way of the above Amendment. Accordingly, the entry of the

Amendment is respectfully requested.

Finally, because claims 11 and 23 have been amended with the allowed subject matter in

claim 16, it is submitted that these claims and respective dependent claims thereof are in

condition for allowance.

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**Conclusion** 

Applicants believes that this paper is responsive to each and every ground of rejection

cited in the Office Action in the Action dated March 18, 2008, and respectfully request favorable

action in this application. The examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned, applicants'

attorney of record, to facilitate advancement of the present application.

If this paper is not timely filed, Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate

extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect

to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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